

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FILED VIA EFS WEB**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, it is respectfully requested that this application be accorded the benefits of Continued Examination. Please consider the Amendment in Response to Final Office Action being filed concurrently with this request on December 9, 2011.

Payment in the amount of \$930 is being made via credit card to cover the required fee for a large entity. It is believed that no further fees are due with this response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment with respect to this patent application to deposit account number 13-2725.

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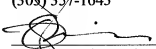
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